

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A strike plate housing adapted to be received in a door jamb, said strike plate housing comprising a strike plate, a first wall and a second wall, said first and second walls depending from the strike plate and defining a housing cavity, wherein said strike plate housing is adapted to selectively receive at least one associated insert plate in the housing cavity such that the at least one insert plate is at least substantially fixed in said housing, and wherein said first wall includes a first plurality of grooves along the first wall on a first side of the housing cavity, wherein at least one groove of the first plurality of grooves is adapted to receive at least a portion of the at least one associated insert plate, and wherein said second wall includes a second plurality of grooves along the second wall on a second side of the cavity opposite the first side of the cavity wherein at least one groove of the second plurality of grooves is adapted to receive at least a portion of the at least one associated insert plate.

2. (Cancelled).

3. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 2, wherein the grooves making up the first plurality of grooves are substantially equally spaced from one another.

4. (Currently Amended) The strike plate housing of claim 2, wherein at least one groove of the first plurality of grooves is offset terminates spaced from the strike plate.

5.-6. (Cancelled).

7. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 1, further comprising a breakaway tab selectively removable from one of the walls.

8. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 7, further comprising a mounting flange having an opening adapted to receive a fastener to mount said adjustable strike plate housing to an associated door jamb, wherein the breakaway tab is selectively removable from the mounting flange.

9. (Currently Amended) The strike plate housing of claim 1 ~~having~~ wherein said housing cavity comprises a depth substantially equal to the height of the associated insert plate that said strike plate housing is adapted to receive.

10. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 1, further comprising a panel selectively attached to at least one of said walls depending from the strike plate, wherein said panel is spaced from the strike plate such that said panel retains a surface of the at least one associated insert plate substantially flush with the strike surface.

11. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 10, further comprising a breakaway tab selectively removable from one of the walls, the breakaway tab including a pin, the panel including a pin opening, wherein the pin is selectively received in the pin opening.

12. (Original) The strike plate housing of claim 1, further comprising a panel mounted to at least one of the walls of the depending from the strike plate, wherein said panel at least substantially encloses the housing cavity on one side and is spaced from said strike plate a distance substantially equal to the height of the associated insert plate that said strike plate housing is adapted to receive.

13. (Currently Amended) An adjustable strike plate assembly comprising:
 a strike plate having an opening;
 walls depending from said strike plate along a periphery of the opening defining a housing cavity;
~~means for selectively adjusting a first dimension of the housing cavity; and~~
~~means for selectively adjusting a second dimension of the housing cavity~~

a first insert plate received in the housing cavity and selectively mounted to one of said walls;

a second insert plate received in the housing cavity and adapted to selectively mount to at least one of the walls and be selectively received by said first insert plate.

14.-15. (Cancelled).

16. (Currently Amended) An adjustable door strike assembly comprising:
a door strike housing including a strike plate having an opening and at least two walls depending from the strike plate along the periphery of the opening; and
a first an insert plate adapted to mount to one of the at least two walls said insert plate including a first surface and a plurality of tabs extending from and substantially normal to the first surface[[: and]].

17. (Cancelled).

18. (Currently Amended) The assembly of claim [[17]] 16, wherein ~~the at least one of~~ said insert plate[[s]] includes an end tab extending from an end of said insert plate substantially parallel to and offset from the first surface.

19. (Currently Amended) The assembly of claim [[17]] 16, wherein ~~the at least one of~~ said insert plate[[s]] includes a strike end that faces the strike plate when ~~the at least one of~~ said insert plate[[s]] is inserted into the cavity, ~~wherein the plurality of tabs defines a plurality of slots between the tabs, wherein at least one of the slots is offset from the strike end of said insert plate.~~

20. (Currently Amended) The assembly of claim 16, wherein ~~at least one of~~ said insert plate[[s]] includes ~~a first surface and a second surface spaced from and substantially parallel with the first surface, said insert plate further including~~ a tab extending from and substantially parallel with the first surface.

21. (Currently Amended) The assembly of claim 16, ~~wherein said first~~ further comprising an additional insert plate ~~[[has]]~~ having substantially the same ~~configuration~~ dimensions as said ~~second~~ insert plate.

22. (Currently Amended) The assembly of claim 21, wherein said ~~first~~ insert plate is adapted to mount at least substantially perpendicular to said ~~second~~ additional insert plate.

24.-25. (Cancelled).

26. (New) The assembly of claim 1, wherein the second plurality of grooves align with the first plurality of grooves.

27. (New) The assembly of claim 13, wherein the first insert plate is received in the housing cavity to adjust a first dimension of the housing cavity.

28. (New) The assembly of claim 27, wherein the second insert plate is received in the housing to adjust a second dimension of the housing cavity, wherein the first dimension is at least substantially perpendicular to the second dimension.

29. (New) An adjustable strike plate assembly comprising:
a strike plate housing comprising a strike plate, a first wall extending from the strike plate, and a second wall extending from the strike plate and the first wall, the first wall including a first plurality of grooves and the second wall including a second plurality of grooves; and

a first insert plate selectively received in at least one of the first plurality of grooves.

30. (New) The assembly of claim 29, further comprising a second insert plate selectively received in at least one of the second plurality of grooves such that the first plate is at least substantially perpendicular to the second plate.

31. (New) An adjustable strike plate assembly comprising:

a strike plate housing comprising a strike plate, a first wall extending from the strike plate, and a second wall extending from the strike plate, the second wall being spaced from and at least substantially parallel to the first wall, the first wall including a first plurality of mounting locations and the second wall including a second plurality of mounting locations;

a first insert plate selectively mounted to the first wall at one of the first plurality of mounting locations and mounted to the second wall at one of the second plurality of mounting locations, the first insert plate extending between the first plate and the second plate.

32. (New) The assembly of claim 31, wherein the first insert plate is disposed at least substantially perpendicular to the first wall and the second wall.

33. (New) The assembly of claim 31, further comprising a second insert plate contacting the first insert plate.